

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PINT, PK, US  
SUBJECT: VISIT OF MUMTAZ BHUTTO TO THE U.S.

1. EMBASSY RECENTLY GAVE THE WIFE OF MUMTAZ BHUTTO, FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS MINISTER AND COUSIN OF THE PM, A VISA TO VISIT THE UNITED STATES FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT. THE APPLICATION FORM STATED THAT THE MINISTER WILL BE TRAVELLING WITH HER. HE IS ALREADY IN POSSESSION OF A VALID VISITORS VISA. ACCORDING TO THE ITINERARY OUTLINED IN THE APPLICATION FORM THE BHUTTOS PLAN TO SPEND AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF DAYS IN LONDON AND THEN TRAVEL TO THE US TO CONSULT WITH MEDICAL SPECIALISTS.

2. IT IS RUMORED IN JOURNALISTIC CIRCLES THAT THE REAL PURPOSE OF MUMTAZ BHUTTO'S VISIT IS TO DELIVER A MESSAGE FROM THE PRIME MINISTER TO PRESIDENT CARTER. KNOWING THE WAY THE PM OPERATES, SUCH A MISSION IS ALWAYS POSSIBLE. WE BELIEVE, HOWEVER, THE RUMOR GROWS OUT OF THE PAKISTANI PROPENSITY TO READ MORE INTO A SITUATION THAN REALLY EXISTS - E.G. MUMTAZ IS GOING TO THE STATES THEREFORE HE MUST BE DELIVERING A MESSAGE TO THE PRESIDENT.  
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